

TIME CARD.
Erie Railroad.
(James Street Station)
WESTBOUND—
Daily—6:47 a. m., 10:56 a. m., 1:16 p. m., 3:34 p. m., 11:39 p. m.
Daily except Sunday—10:41 a. m., 11:25 a. m., 1:10 p. m., 3:49 p. m., 5:06 p. m., 6:19 p. m., 8:12 p. m., 9:21 p. m.
Sunday only—10:28 a. m., 3:11 p. m., 10:29 p. m.
EASTBOUND—
Daily—4:04 a. m., 6:01 a. m., 12:54 p. m., 3:00 p. m., 5:55 p. m., 10:39 p. m.
Daily except Sunday—6:25 a. m., 7:09 a. m., 8:23 a. m., 10:14 a. m., 4:06 p. m., 7:32 p. m.
Sunday only—8:23 a. m., 5:08 p. m., 7:00 p. m.
*Stop only for passengers to Binghamton and beyond.
N. Y. C. and W. R. R.
(Whitehall Avenue Station)
NORTHBOUND—8:45 a. m., 10:55 a. m., 6:12 p. m., 8:45 p. m.
SOUTHBOUND—8:10 a. m., 4:30 p. m., 6:20 p. m., 8:45 p. m.
*Run daily. Other trains daily except Sunday.
N. Y. C. and W. R. R.
ARRIVE—12:33 a. m., 1:50 p. m., 7:45 p. m.
DEPART—6:45 a. m., 7:12 a. m., 5:04 p. m.
*Except Sunday.

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OUR JOB PRINTING DEPARTMENT
Is noted for first-class work. Prices always right. Orders promptly attended to.
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TUESDAY, JUNE 6, 1899.

TWO ITEMS.
25 Dozen Imported Madras
Shirt Waists.
Hand-made finish and button
holes, made to sell at \$1.50.
The price is 50c.
Twenty-five Ladies' Tailor
Made Suits,
made to sell at \$10. The price
\$4.95

Imported French Or-
gandies,
regular 25 cent goods, 18c., 10
new designs.
100 STYLES LAWNS, MULLS,
Organdies, 10 cents, regular
15 cent goods.
H. E. CHURCHILL & CO.,
No. 39 North Street.

READY PAY STORE
BEST BUTTER
17 CTS.
READY PAY STORE
No. 111 North St.

LIVERITA
THE UP-TO-DATE
LITTLE LIVER PILL
CURES
Biliousness,
Constipation,
Dyspepsia,
Sick-Head-
ache and Liver
Complaint.
100 PILLS
25 CTS.
Sole and exclusive agents,
J. J. CHAMBERS, Druggist, 17 North St., M.
Middletown, N. Y.

Pink Dairy Butter 18 and
20c Per Pound.
W. H. FOSTER, 33 East Main St.
FOR SALE.
New Night-Room Cottage.
Situate on Gardner Ave.
Enquire of
CASE & TAYLOR
REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE AGENTS,
15 North St. Stern's Building

FOR SALE at Westboro, Sullivan county, six
acre lot with garden land, with nice roomy
house, 2000 feet and outbuildings, all in
good repair. Village water system and full
privileges. The house is new and has
a beautiful view of the river. Price \$10,000.
Apply to J. J. Chambers, Druggist, 17 North St.,
Middletown, N. Y.

THE KIDNAPING OF ANNE
Eachob, at New Britain, Conn., Sunday,
is of more than passing interest as show-
ing how one sensational crime is often
followed by another of exactly the same
kind.
Senator Hanna was such an easy winner
in Ohio's Republican Convention that he
thinks he can prevent Senator
Foraker's reelection and plans are
being made to bring about that result.
He will probably throw his strength to
Mr. Dougherty, who was the anti-
Hanna candidate for Governor. This is
a very cunning political move for an al-
liance with Dougherty, who has positive
strength, will materially weaken the
anti-Hanna faction.

It is hard to even guess what has back
of the anxiety of District Attorney Wyr-
ro of Rockland county, to keep Mr. and
Mrs. Barrow in that county and try them
there. Rockland county will have no
grand jury until fall, and if Mr. Wyr-
ro succeeds in his purpose he will delay the
ends of justice, and at least rob the pun-
ishment that may be inflicted on the
kidnappers of the impressiveness that
speedy justice carries with it. One thing
is certain, there can be no politics in the
District Attorney's strange course. The
sentiment of the county is practically
unanimous in favor of surrendering the
prisoners to the New York authorities,
and Mr. Wyrro's persistence in his deter-
mination to hang on to the prisoners is
"queening" the Republican party, to
which he belongs, with the thirty ex-
payers of Rockland county, who see no
sense in paying expenses that New York
city ought to pay and is anxious to pay.

MONTGOMERY.
Remodeling His Dwelling—Suburban
Before the Grand Jury—At the Pine
Bush Races.

Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—Schenck Andrews, who reside
about a mile and a half from this village,
is having his house remodelled. The
carpenter work is being done by Chan-
cey Brooks.
—There is great excitement among
the young sports of this village, owing
to the fact that most of them have been
submerged to appear before the grand
jury at Goshen, June 7th, in the case
of the people against a certain hotel keeper
of this place, who is charged with run-
ning a slot machine. The complaint was
made at the instigation of a woman,
who it is alleged, found that her husband
was leaving all of his earnings in the
machine.
—Charles A. Kaune and Daniel Van
Ald captured three pie pickers in the
Wallkill at this place. Decoration Day.
William Lager also got a nice one the
same day.
—A large number from this place at-
tended the races at Pine Bush, Saturday.
There were two very interesting contests.
Finger's horses, of Walden, winning
both of them. Our popular man about
town and butcher, Harvey Tuttle, was
the official starter. Harvey is becoming
quite a familiar figure in the judges'
stand of late.

Erie Excursion Rates to California.
From June 21st to July 7th, the Erie
will sell excursion tickets via direct route
Middletown to Los Angeles, Cal., and
return at rate of \$78.25 for the round
trip, account of National Educational
Association Convention. Stop overs
within the limit will be allowed at and
west of El Paso, Trinidad, Denver,
Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Cheyenne,
and west of Edgemont, S. D. and St.
Paul. Tickets route going via Ogden,
El Paso, Denver or Barstow; returning
via Portland or vice versa will be \$12.50
higher than rates via direct routes.
7145t

Spain's Greatest Need.
R. P. Olvin, of Barcelona, Spain,
spreads his winters at Aiken, S. C. Weak
nerves had caused severe pains in the
back of his head. On using Electric
Bitters, America's greatest Blood and Nerve
Remedy, all pain soon left him. He says
this grand medicine is what his country
needs. All America knows that it cures
head and kidney troubles, purifies the
blood, tones up the stomach, strengthens
the nerves, puts vim and vigor and new
life into every muscle, nerve and organ
of the body. If weak, tired or aching you
need it. Every bottle guaranteed, only
50 cents. Sold by J. J. Chambers, Drug
gist.

That Throbbing Headache.
Would quickly leave you, if you need
Dr. King's New Life Pills. Thousands of
sufferers have proved their matchless
merit for sick and nervous headaches.
They make pure blood and strong nerves
and build up your health. Easy to take.
Try them. Only 25c. Money back if
not cured. Sold by J. J. Chambers' drug
gist.

Barn Burned By Lightning.
There was a very heavy rain and hail
storm at the vicinity of Unionville, Mon-
day afternoon. During the storm John
Reemer's barn was struck by lightning
and destroyed with its contents.
"To Throw Good Money After Bad"
will but increase my pain. If you have
thrown away money for medicines that
did not and could not cure, why should
you not now begin taking Hood's
Sarsaparilla, the medicine that never
disappoints? Thousands of people who
were in your condition and took Hood's
Sarsaparilla say it was the best invest-
ment they ever made, for it brought their
health

HOOD'S PILLS cures sick headache,
indigestion.
As well as the headmost, and others
are invited to call on any druggist and
get free a trial bottle of Kemp's Balsam
for the throat and lungs, a remedy that
is guaranteed to cure a cold, relieve all
chronic and acute Coughs, Asthma,
Bronchitis and Consumption. Price 25
and 50 cents.

MOTHERS: Mothers! A hot bath with
Curtis Soap, when followed by a dip
application of CURTIS Ointment, the great
skin cure and parast of cosmetics, will afford
the most grateful and comforting relief in
the severest forms of itching, burning, and
skin and scalp humors, rashes, and tri-
sons, and point to a speedy, permanent,
and economical cure when all other remedies
and even the best physicians fail.
Sold everywhere. How to Cure Itching, Burns, and
Cuts, Pimples, Bores, etc. See Curtis Soap and Ointment.

"ALL TIRED OUT"
If this is your experience, then your
blood is poor and thin and filled with
impurities. There is but one cure.
You must get rid of all these poisons in
the blood. There is but one remedy.
Ayer's Sarsaparilla
It makes the blood pure and gives it
new life and power. The starveling
nerves are better nourished. Your head
ceases to ache. Your brain
keeps clear. You are no longer
tired. The day's work will "tired out."
\$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.
J. C. AYER CO., Lowell, Mass.

BULLVILLE.
Mineral and Educational Entertain-
ment—Children's Day—Other Notes.
Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—A very fine and interesting musical
and educational entertainment will be
given at the Bullville M. E. Church, on
Thursday evening, at 8 o'clock, by Miss
Mullen, Miss of Middletown. With these
names on the programme, the church
ought to be filled with the admission
of hundreds of people. Come and enjoy a
pleasant evening.
—Children's Day will be celebrated at
the M. E. Church, next Sunday evening.
The programme is a fine one and well
worth hearing.
—Fred Norris has opened his ice cream
parlors at this place and is doing a rush-
ing business these warm days.
—Mrs. John F. Bradner, of Middle-
town, and Mrs. Lou Vetting, of Brook-
lyn, spent Sunday at the residence of
John E. Duryea, near this village.
—Miss Lillian and Geo. Ayres spent
Sunday with friends at Port Jervis.
—Herbert K. Robinson, of Newark, N. J.,
spent Sunday with his parents, Su-
pervisor and Mrs. S. D. Robinson.
—J. W. Phillips and John A. Wallace,
of Middletown, were calling on friends
at this place, on Sunday.
—Daniel M. Ball, of Jersey City, is
spending the week at his home near
this place.

MT. SALEM.
Festival on the Church Lawn—Child-
ren's Day—Other Notes.
Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—The Young People's Society of the
Mt. Salem Baptist Church will hold an
ice cream and strawberry festival on the
church lawn, Wednesday evening, June
7th. A cordial invitation is extended to
all.
—Children's Day will be observed at
the Baptist Church, next Sunday morn-
ing, June 11th.
—N. B. Walling, of Andover, spent Wed-
nesday at J. H. Ferguson's.
—J. H. Dunn is building an addition to
his dwelling house. Parker and
Bilton, of Greenville, are the carpenters.
—Miss Jennie Buckner has been quite
ill the past week.
—Rev. S. M. Edwards went to Jersey
City, to-day, to attend the North New
Jersey Baptist Association, which will
be held with the Jersey City Baptist
Church, on Wednesday and Thursday,
June 14-15.
—Mrs. Hannah has returned from New
York city to her daughter, Mrs. J. P.
Ferguson.
—Mrs. Moses Cole, of Salem, is again
confined to the bed.
—A. T. Baird, of Logtown, has been
quite sick, but is better now.

RIDGEWAY.
Children's Day Exercises—Strawberry
and Cream Festival.
Correspondence of ARGUS AND MERCURY.
—Children's Day will be observed with
appropriate services on Sunday evening,
June 11, at the M. E. Church.
—The annual straw berry and cream
festival for the M. E. Society will be
given by the ladies of the church on the
evening of Tuesday, June 20, to be held
on the lawn. Should the evening be very
stormy the festival will be held the next
day evening.

The College Boat Race.
Account of the Intercollegiate Boat
Races at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., on June
25, 26 and 27. The Erie will sell excursion
tickets from Middletown to Highland
N. Y., or Poughkeepsie, N. Y., and return
at rate of one first class limited fare.
Good returning until June 28. 7145t

Union Depot in Richmond.
RICHMOND, June 6.—The lower
branch of the Chesapeake and Potomac
grant the franchise for the new depot
and its approaches, petitioned by the
Chesapeake and Ohio and the Richmond,
Petersburg and Carolina roads. It is now
certain that the franchise will go
through the upper branch also.

Transportation Made Arrives.
NEW YORK, June 6.—The United
States transport Meade, Captain George
Wilson, which left Porto Rico, on
June 2, arrived at quarantine at 3:15 p.
m. and was received by the government
brought the Nineteenth United States in-
fantry, Colonel Simon Snyder command-
ing, 650 enlisted men and 50 cabin pas-
sengers. All on board the transport are
well.

Romans President of Peru.
LIMA, Peru, via Galveston, June 6.—
The election of Senator Eduardo Romona
president and of Seniors Almonara and
Brazza as first and second vice presi-
dents respectively has been secured in a
trifling number of votes over the mini-
mum required by law.

Lightning Strikes a School.
LANSING, Mich., June 6.—During a
severe electrical storm, late yesterday
lightning struck the large workshop at
the State Industrial School for Boys,
and the fire which followed damaged the
buildings and contents about \$15,000.

Drowned While Bathing.
NEW BRITAIN, Conn., June 6.—
James G. McBrain, aged 17, son of Arch-
ibald McBrain, 72 Dwight street, was
drowned while bathing in Herick's pond,
west of this city, at 5 o'clock yesterday
afternoon.

General King Discharged.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—By direc-
tion of the president Brigadier General
Charles King, who recently arrived at
San Francisco from service in the Phil-
ippines, has been honorably discharged
from the volunteer army, to take effect
Aug. 2.

A Costly Pittsburgh Fire.
PITTSBURGH, June 6.—The key fac-
tory of Edwin Bell & Sons of Youngs-
burg, O., located in this city, was entire-
ly destroyed by fire last night. The loss
will reach \$50,000, partially insured.

MORONG CAPTURED.
General Hall's Command En-
ters Without Opposition.
FIVE HUNDRED STRICKEN BY DEATH.
Americans Are Advancing Across the
Peninsula—A Rough Country
Traversed—The Supreme
Court Sworn In.
MANILA, June 6.—General Hall's
command advanced yesterday morning
and occupied Morong without opposition
or notable incident. Colonel Wholley had
a little fight at Morong Sunday, and the
Americans camped nine dead and five
wounded. Filipino troops were in the
place. The Americans suffered no losses.
Five days' rations are being distributed
among the American troops who are ad-
vancing and maintaining a nearly contin-
uous line across Morong peninsula south
of this city. The hospital trains returned
last night with 500 men suffering from
the effects of the heat.
The gunboat Cavendish was struck by
a shot from an insurgent cannon at a
range of 3,500 yards. She signaled to the
Nipadun, which came up, and both boats
shelled the enemy for 15 minutes, silenc-
ing their guns.
Several escapes of insurgents through
the lines are reported to have been made
during the night. The unevenness of the
country prevents the maintenance of a
continuous line of American troops. The
Matero valley wires have been cut contin-
ually by the enemy and finally abandon-
ed by the Americans, communication be-
ing kept up by pass.

The roughest country traversed by the
American troops is in the vicinity of An-
tipolo. Transportation over it is impos-
sible, and even the signal service wagons
had to be abandoned. Five Chinamen in
the signal service employ deserted, and
the remaining men were unable to carry
the wires. Sergeant Wadok, who was re-
pairing wires, was sent off behind the
lines by the enemy. Lieutenant Olbia,
with a handful of signalmen, rushed to
Wadok's rescue and succeeded in rout-
ing the enemy who opposed his return.
First Lieutenant Hawthorne of Bat-
teries reports the small farmer near
proceeding, owing to the impassable con-
dition of the country, and was compelled to
burn his wagons, artillery and ammuni-
tion to prevent their falling into the
hands of the enemy.

The supreme court was sworn yester-
day, and the chief justice will take the
oath today. Both courts will begin work
immediately.
Will Not Pasture Sheep.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—After con-
sultation with the secretary of the inter-
ior Commissioner Hermann of the general
land office has decided to refuse the
request of the wool growers of Utah and
Wyoming for a modification of his for-
mer order prohibiting the pasturing of
sheep on the Uintah reservation in Utah.
The reservation contains 875,000 acres,
and there were petitions from the owners
of about 2,000,000 sheep for the opening
of the reservation to them. The depart-
ment's refusal was based upon the re-
ports of the superintendent of the land
that sheep would destroy the young for-
est trees and thus impair the water sup-
ply.

East and West to Compete.
CHICAGO, June 6.—Bids have been
advertised for June building the war de-
partment with \$1,500,000 worth of sup-
plies, consisting chiefly of clothing and
other manufactured articles, as a part of
the regular supplies furnished the army
every year. The bids will be received at
Chicago, Philadelphia and Boston June
20, and the contracts will be awarded by
the war department at Washington. This
is the first opportunity ever given west-
ern manufacturers to compete with east-
ern firms in furnishing the government
with this class of supplies.

Pacific Coast Fortifications.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—Brigadier
General John M. Wilson, corps of engi-
neers, has just completed a thorough in-
spection of the coast fortifications and
fortification works on the Pacific coast.
He said that he had inspected every har-
bor from the Mexican to the Canadian
boundary, beginning with San Diego and
ending with Puget sound. He was
very favorably impressed with the
condition of the works he inspected.

The De Barre Found Guilty.
CHICAGO, June 6.—The jury in the
case of Baron and Baroness de Barre,
charged with using the mails to conduct
a fraudulent business, brought in a ver-
dict yesterday afternoon finding the de-
fendants guilty. The maximum penalty
is 12 years and 6 months imprisonment
and a fine of \$12,000. A motion for a
new trial was made, and pending the de-
cision, sentence was deferred.

Gaspesia's Crew Must Pay.
ST. JOHN'S, N. F., June 6.—The of-
ficers and crew of the Canadian steamer
Gaspesia, whose owners were recently
condemned to pay \$12,500 as salvage to
the crew for towing the Gaspesia out
of the ice block, have been ordered to
pay the amount. The crew, who were
brought out for four months' wages,
aggregating \$12,000, as they num-
ber 80 all told.

Two Drowned While Bathing.
WILMINGTON, Del., June 6.—Frank
Diamond and Samuel Martin were
drowned while bathing in the Brandy-
wine creek last night. The bodies have
not been recovered. With several other
baths before the bodies were found, Harry
Taggart was rescued unconscious, but
was resuscitated.

Electricity For Brooklyn Navy Yard.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—The engi-
neering bureau of the navy department
has completed plans for a large electric
power plant for the Brooklyn navy yard.
It comprises all the best developments of
electrical engineering, and it is estimated
that it will cost the government the cost
of its installation in the course of a
year's service. The plant will cost about
\$100,000.

Million Dollars' Worth of Supplies.
BOSTON, June 6.—Colonel Hyde,
quartermaster of the local army depot,
has advertised for \$1,000,000 worth of
supplies with which to stock his station
for the coming summer.

Lammer's Trial Put Over.
LOCKPORT, N. Y., June 6.—The trial
of ex-County Treasurer John G. Lam-
mer for embezzlement has been put
over until the September term of court.

The Best article of paint that can
be made is none too good. It should
always be made with Pure Linseed
Oil, and never contain Benzine or
Benzine Drier. Good paint performs,
poor paint promises and fails. The
CHILTON PAINT is as near perfect as
paint can be, because it is made with
the very best Linseed Oil, whatever
Drier is needed is made with Tur-
pentine, and the Colors are mixed
and ground by machinery so many
times that it covers more surface and
lasts longer than any other paint.
It is the cheapest because it takes
less and because it lasts longest.
If your dealer will not furnish it, write order to
the CHILTON MANUFACTURING CO., 69 Cor-
d and street, New York City, for color cards and
prices.

Pure Blood
No one can be happy, light hearted
and healthy with a body full of blood that
is impure. It is only by every part because
of its impurity. Therefore, the first and most
important work in hand is to purify the
blood, so that every member will get full ben-
efit from a healthy circulation. One or two
BRANDRETH'S PILLS
taken every night is often all that is needed
to put the whole body in a condition of per-
fect health. They are purely vegetable, and
aged for two years before they are sold.
They contain a large quantity of the solid
extract of Honduras Sarsaparilla and are far
better as a blood purifier than any of the
liquid preparations. Sold throughout the
world, both sugar-coated and plain.

CUBAN DISARMAMENT.
Colonel Figueroa Urges the Soldiers
Not to Give Up Arms.
HAYANA, June 6.—Colonel Figueroa
of the Cuban infantry in Havana province
in a letter to the Spanish edition of
La Esfera, passionately appeals to the
soldiers who were mustered out last week
to refuse to give up their arms and ac-
cept the American gratuity. He de-
clines to advise those who act contrary to such
advice as "cowards" and "voluntary out-
casts." He says:
"The offer made by the United States
insults the honor of the army of libera-
tion, which did not desert its posts even
in terrible battle, and is a disgrace to the
graves of soldiers who died covered with
glory. I do not doubt the sincerity of the
American people, but I am sure it is
offered as a gift, why do not the Ameri-
cans buy bows and arrows with it instead
of insisting upon the delivery of our
arms. Guard, therefore, the flag, which
will be mine through life and be defend-
ed by my saber, which will be unshak-
ed until the consecration of our inde-
pendence or the necessity arises for re-
turning a Titanic stroke."

Payments at Guines were rushed yester-
day until the total number of Cuban
prisoners paid there amounted to 570. Judge
Sanchez reports the small farmer near
Havana has made a declaration that four
armed men appeared at his house Sun-
day night and demanded \$250. He was
unable to pay this amount, but under
threats gave them \$40.

Would Not Give the Prisoners.
NEW YORK, June 6.—Charles E.
Lebbach, assistant district attorney of
New York, and Detectives Reddy, Ar-
strong and Morris arrived in Nyack last
evening with bench warrants for kidnap-
ing of James and Jennie Wilson, who were
committed to the Rockland county jail
in the afternoon after waiting examina-
tion at Garberville. The four officials
conferred for two hours with District
Attorney Wyrro to induce him to have the
prisoners turned over to them, but it was
of no use. After District Attorney Wyrro
refused to order the transfer of the pris-
oners to the New York authorities Sher-
iff Blauvelt arrived here from New City,
and the bench warrant was served upon
him, with a demand for the prisoners.
The sheriff went out to consult with his
counsel and soon came back, reporting
that he had been directed by the counsel
not to give up the prisoners.

Indictment of Kidnapers.
NEW YORK, June 6.—The June
court jury last night yesterday in in-
dicting the kidnapers of the Wilsons
Clark. The first indictment is found
against George W. Barrow, alias Mark
Beauregard, alias James W. Wilson.
The second is against Addie Barrow,
alias Addie Beauregard, alias Jennie
Wilson. The third is against Bella
Anderson, alias Carrie Jones. The first
two persons named in the indictment
were put on trial yesterday at West
Haverstraw, N. Y., on the charge of
kidnaping the Clark child, but no evi-
dence was adduced, as the prisoners
were committed to the custody of the
Rockland county grand jury, which
does not meet until October. The pris-
oners were recommitted to jail.

Large Charitable Bequests.
NEWPORT, R. I., June 6.—The will
of Elizabeth De Wolf Thayer, widow of
late Rev. Thayer Thayer, filed here
yesterday, leaves bequests of \$5,000 each
to the American Board of Commissioners
for Foreign Missions, the Woman's Board
of Missions, Boston; American Mission-
ary Association, (New York), New York,
and the American Home Missionary
society, New York. After some pri-
vate bequests the residue of the estate is
to be divided into four parts for the
United Congregational church, Newport;
the ministerial fund of the conference of
Congregational churches of Rhode Is-
land, the American Home Missionary
society, New York, for western missions,
and the American board, Boston.

Confederate Daughters to Meet.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—The United
Daughters of the Confederacy held their
annual reunion at Glen Echo, near this
city, tomorrow and Thursday of this
week. President McKinley has accepted
an invitation to be present on the last
day and also granted the use of the Fort
Myer band for the occasion. The presi-
dent will be accompanied by Generals
Corbin and Wheeler. The two days will
be known as Virginia and Maryland
days respectively, and entertaining pro-
grammes have been arranged for each.

Newal Plans Approved.
WASHINGTON, June 6.—The board
of construction of the navy has approved
the report of the board of survey upon
the Spanish gunboats Sandoval and Al-
varado, now at Portsmouth, N. H., and
they will be repaired at a cost of \$18,000
each. The board also has approved
the plans for the six new cruisers of the
Denver class, and the construction bod-
y will proceed to publish the advertise-
ment as soon as possible.

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has completed plans for a large electric
power plant for the Brooklyn navy yard.
It comprises all the best developments of
electrical engineering, and it is estimated
that it will cost the government the cost
of its installation in the course of a
year's service. The plant will cost about
\$100,000.

Million Dollars' Worth of Supplies.
BOSTON, June 6.—Colonel Hyde,
quartermaster of the local army depot,
has advertised for \$1,000,000 worth of
supplies with which to stock his station
for the coming summer.

Lammer's Trial Put Over.
LOCKPORT, N. Y., June 6.—The trial
of ex-County Treasurer John G. Lam-
mer for embezzlement has been put
over until the September term of court.

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be made is none too good. It should
always be made with Pure Linseed
Oil, and never contain Benzine or
Benzine Drier. Good paint performs,
poor paint promises and fails. The
CHILTON PAINT is as near perfect as
paint can be, because it is made with
the very best Linseed Oil, whatever
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pentine, and the Colors are mixed
and ground by machinery so many
times that it covers more surface and
lasts longer than any other paint.
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less and because it lasts longest.
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the CHILTON MANUFACTURING CO., 69 Cor-
d and street, New York City, for color cards and
prices.

ARBITRATION PLANS
Mediation Scheme Discussed
In Committee.
ADOPTED WITHOUT MODIFICATION.
States at Variance Shall Each Choose
a Power, to Which Disputes Shall
Be Referred and Every Effort
For Settlement Put Forth.
THE HAGUE, June 6.—The arbitra-
tion committee of the peace conference
held a meeting yesterday under the
chairmanship of M. Leon Bourgeois.
Mr. Andrew D. White, head of the United
States delegation; Sir Julian Pauncefote,
head of the British delegation, and
M. de Stani, head of the Russian dele-
gation, with all the members of the com-
mittee, were present.
After M. Bourgeois had made a sym-
pathetic reference to the death of Miss
Roth, daughter of Dr. Roth, head of the
Swiss delegation, who was killed in a
railway accident last Thursday at Flank-
ing, the secretary of the drafting com-
mittee read the draft scheme of media-
tion it had had under consideration.
Articles 1 and 2 are declaratory, to the
effect that the signatory powers, in order
to prevent a recourse to force, have
agreed to effect pacific solutions of dif-
ferences and will, except in exceptional cir-
cumstances, before an appeal to force,
have recourse to the mediation of one or
more friendly powers.
Article 3 reads as follows:
"Independently of a recourse to such
amicable means the signatories deem it
expedient that one or more powers not
concerned in the conflict should offer of
its or their own initiative and so far as
circumstances will permit its or their
good offices of mediation to the states at
variance. The right to offer good offices
of mediation belongs to powers not con-
cerned in the conflict, even during the
course of actual hostilities, and the exer-
cise of this right can never be considered
by the parties at variance as an un-
friendly act."

Article 4 provides that the role of me-
diator shall consist in the reconciliation
of conflicting claims and the laying of
differences between states at variance.
Article 5 says that the good offices com-
mitted, either at the instance of the
parties at variance or on the initiative of
uninvolved powers, are exclusively of the
character of friendly counsel.
Article 7 asserts:
"Acceptance of mediation cannot have
the effect, except by virtue of a conven-
tion to the contrary, of interrupting or re-
tarding or hampering mobilization or
other preparations for war. If mediation
intervenes after the opening of hostilities,
it shall not interrupt, except by virtue of
a convention to the contrary, military op-
erations in course of execution."
Article 8 reads as follows:
"The signatories are in accord to recom-
mend, in all circumstances permitting it,
special mediation in the following
forms:
In the event of grave differences
threatening peace the states at variance
shall choose respectively a power to which
each shall confide the mission of
entering into direct relations with the
power chosen by the other side in order
to prevent a rupture of friendly relations.
During the currency of the mediation,
which, except in the event of a stipula-
tion to the contrary, shall not exceed 30
days, the question in dispute shall be
considered as referred exclusively to
these powers. They shall apply all their
efforts to settle the dispute, and in the
event of an actual rupture of friendly re-
lations shall remain charged with the
mission of taking advantage of every oc-
casion to restore peace."
The draft was adopted without modifi-
cation, although the committee stipulated
that it should be subject to modification
at the second reading.
The naval section of the arrangements
committee has unanimously rejected the
Russian proposals.

A Note From Andrew.
CHRISTIANIA, June 6.—According
to a dispatch from Mandal, the most
southern town of Norway, two boys on
May 14 last found on the north coast of
Fenland a small cork case, containing a
slip of paper, dated July 11, 1897, signed
Andrew Strindberg and Francis
bearing the words, "All well. Thrown
out about latitude 81; latitude un-
known." Professor Andrew's brother
thinks the case was probably one of the
letter buoys with which the Andrew ex-
pedition was provided.

Called to Oregon.
ROCHESTER, N. Y., June 6.—The Rev.
Lyman E. Rockwell, pastor of Glenwood
Methodist Episcopal church for the past
three years, has received a call from the
Centenary Methodist Episcopal church of
Portland, Or. In the event of Bishop
Merrell's concurrence the call will be ac-
cepted.

A Degree For Professor Newcombe.
LONDON, June 6.—At the meeting of
the Oxford convocation next Thursday
the public orator will propose that the
honorary degree of doctor of civil law be
conferred upon Professor Newcombe of
Johns Hopkins university.

MARY POWELL EXCURSION.
First Chance to Enjoy a Sail on the
Lordly Hudson.
The Ontario and Western will run a
Mary Powell excursion on Thursday,
June 8th, at \$1 for round trip. Train
will leave Middletown, Wickham
avenue, at 7 a. m., Main street, 7:02 a.
arriving at New York, Twenty-second
street, 10:45 a. m.; Dubuque street
11:10 a. m.
Returning leave De-brosses street 3:15
p. m. and West Twenty-second street
at 3:30 p. m., arriving at Middletown at
7:10 p. m.
Middletown-Goshen Traction Company
will have a trolley car leave Goshen at
6:30 a. m., making connection with ex-

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